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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME under C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

For replying to the Office action dated <u>June 2, 2009</u> in the patent application identified above, Applicant hereby requests an extension of time of <u>one month</u>, from <u>September 2, 2009</u> to <u>October 2, 2009</u>.

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Respectfully submitted,

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